FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     MORFITT MARTHA A M						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GRACO INC [ GGG ]										telationship eck all appli X Directo	cable)	,		
(Last) 88 11TH	(Fi	•	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2021										Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify	
(Street) MINNE	APOLIS M	ate)	55413 (Zip)	Doriv		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  ative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefic							Line	S. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans			2. Transa	action	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. 4. Securi Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) o d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		(A) or	5. Amou Securitie Benefici	nt of 6. Ones Formally (D) of Following (I) (II)		n: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
						c	Code	/	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		Price	Transac	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(11150: 4)			
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	vative Conversion Date Execution Date, irity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amount of			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	e rcisable		opiration	Title	OI N Of	umber					
Non- qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$71.92	02/12/2021			A		7,360			(1)	02	2/12/2031	Comn		7,360	\$0	7,360		D	

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Employee stock option granted pursuant to the Graco Inc. 2019 Stock Incentive Plan in transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3. The stock option becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments, commencing one year after the date of the grant.

/s/ Francis J. Brixius Jr., attorney-in-fact for Ms. Morfitt

02/12/2021

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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